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In re Appln. of: John K. Kaltenmark et al.

Appln. No.: 09/676,584

Filed: September 29, 2000

For: OPERATIONS ARCHITECTURES FOR
NETCENTRIC COMPUTING SYSTEMS

Examiner: Djenane M. Bayard

Art Unit: 2141

Confirmation No. 3191

Attorney Docket No: 10022/043

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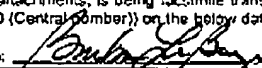
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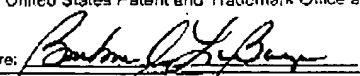
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed November 15, 2006, please enter the following amendments, and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on p. 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on p. 10 of this paper.